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- 1. Request to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment (2 pgs.);
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Sir:

Applicant submits this request in response to the receipt of a Notice of Abandonment mailed on March 11, 2003. Applicant believes that no fee is required for consideration of this paper. However, should a fee be due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Attorney Deposit Account No. 20-0531.

Contrary to what is indicated in the Notice of Abandonment, Applicant timely filed, by "Express Mail" on November 20, 2002, a proper reply to the non-final Office action of July 24, 2002. Proof of the timeliness of the filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10(e) is attached to this Request and includes the following:

• Copies of papers filed via Express Mail on November 20, 2002, including "Express Mail" mailing label EL956538926US with the "date-in" clearly marked as 11-20-02, Transmittal form, Fee Transmittal Form, Amendment and Response, previously submitted form PTO-1449, Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a), a check of \$110.00 for a one-month extension of time and a return receipt postcard (each document bearing the "Express Mail" mailing label number EL956538926US as required by 37 CFR 1.10(b));

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Applicant wishes to thank the Examiner for checking the PTO record on March 26, 2003, during a telephone call from Applicant's attorney Duan Wu. The Examiner acknowledged that record indicated that the above-mentioned check of \$110.00 was cashed by the Patent Office on November 20, 2002.

In view of these submissions, Applicant respectfully requests withdrawal of the holding of abandonment, reinstatement of the application, and consideration of the Amendment and Response filed on November 20, 2002. If necessary, the office is authorized to treat this request as a petition to withdraw the abandonment holding pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.181(a) and 1.10(e).

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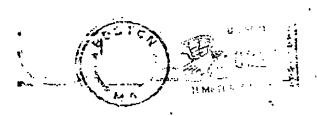
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